



Gladys Kay Orzalli

October 21, 1942 - July 14, 2016

Gladys “Kay” Orzalli, 74 of Calistoga, Ca., passed away at Kaiser Hospital in Vallejo due to a lengthy illness. Kay was born on October 21, 1942 in Ogden, Utah to parents

Thomas Chester and Gladys Lucille Doxey (Hutchenson). Kay’s family moved to Northern California in 1950 where she would later graduate from Nevada Union Senior High School in 1960.

Kay was married to Peter Eugene Orzalli in Rough and Ready California on November 20, 1964. They were married for 52 Years. The last 20 years they have resided in Calistoga, Ca.

Kay enjoyed spending time with her family barbequing, working in her beautifully abundant flower and vegetable garden. She loved cooking and baking cookies and specialty breads which her family and friends devoured. She also loved reading and watching movies.

Kay spent the last 30+yrs working as a private Caregiver to the elderly in the Napa Valley. She also worked for several years caring for the brothers at Christian Brothers Mt La Salle Retreat. Her daughter Lindi Bess has followed in her footsteps, having worked with her mom with many families in the area.

Kay is survived by her husband Peter E. Orzalli of Calistoga, daughter Lindi

Bess and her husband Darryl of Napa; Her grandchildren Jessica Conrad of Vallejo, Rebecca Bradley of Napa, Robert Bradley of Oakland and Christine Bess of Napa. Her great grandchildren Kaleb Irving Eugene Campbell, Lily Christine Fjellman and Liza Ann Gibson; Her grandson-in-laws Michael Campbell and Michael Conrad; Her sister Carol Neuzel of Carmichael and Brother Thomas Doxey and wife Nancy of Folsom, many nieces and nephews; and many other family and friends, all of whom she adored.

Kay is predeceased by her parents and her daughter Karen Lucille Orzalli (2004).

At Kays request there will not be a memorial service. Claffey and Rota Funeral Home of Napa has assisted the family with her burial wishes.

Graveside Services will be held on Saturday, August 6th, 2016 at Sylvan Cemetery 7501 Auburn Blvd. Citrus Heights, Ca. 95630

Family will be gathering at Kay's sister, Carol Neuzel's home, following the service. Please email Lindi Bess at lindibess@icloud.com for info and address

Kay's friends and family are encouraged to visit and leave sentiments for her family. We'd love to hear from you all. <http://memorial.yourtribute.com/Gladys-Kay-Orzalli/>

Family is requesting live plants only be delivered to the cemetery prior to 3pm on Friday, August 5th due to the weather. The family would also like any monetary donations to go to American Heart and Lung Association in her name.

Tribute Wall



“ Gladys Kay Orzalli

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“ Gladys Kay Orzalli

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“ Lindi Bess lit a candle in memory of Gladys Kay Orzalli



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